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SUBJECT: AUSTRALIAN BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE REQUEST FOR
VISIT FROM U.S. FOOTBALL TEAMS

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1. NATIONAL COLLEGIATE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, ORGANIZATION
FOR OVER 700 COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES ON ATHLETIC MATTERS
AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL WHICH NOW HOLDING ANNUAL CONVENTION,
EXPRESSED NEGATIVE REACTION TO LEVI-STRAUSS PROPOSAL. NCAA
EXTRA EVENTS COMMITTEE HAS NEVER APPROVED SUCH A POST-
SEASON FOOTBALL EXHIBITION.

2. ORGANIZERS MAY WISH SUBMIT DETAILED PROPOSAL TO NCAA OR
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS (NAIA)
WHICH LISTED IN ENCL 6 TO DEPT A-6285. NAIA GENERALLY MORE
DISPOSED TO SANCTIONING POST-SEASON EVENTS BUT DO NOT
CONTROL TOP COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL TEAMS.

3. AS ALTERNATIVE BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE MAY WISH CONSIDER
TOURNAMENT INVOLVING OTHER COLLEGIATE SPORTS SUCH AS SOCCER
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